DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-583-810]

Chrome-Plated Lug Nuts From Taiwan; Extension of Time Limit for Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Extension of time limit for final results of antidumping duty administrative review of chrome-plated lug nuts from Taiwan.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce ("the Department") is extending the time limit for the final results of the antidumping duty administrative review of the antidumping order on chromeplated lug nuts from Taiwan. This review covers 18 producers/exporters of chrome-plated lug nuts. The period of review is September 1, 1996 through August 31, 1997.

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 10, 1999. **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Todd Peterson or Thomas Futtner, AD/CVD Enforcement Group II, Office 4, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and

Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington D.C. 20230, telephone (202) 482–4195 or 482–3814, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Applicable Statute and Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930 ("the Act") are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act. In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department's regulations are references to the provisions codified at 19 CFR Part 351.101, et seq. (62 FR 27296—May 19, 1997).

Extension of Preliminary Results

The Department initiated this administrative review on October 30, 1997 (62 FR 58703). Under section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act, the Department may extend the deadline for completion of an administrative review if it determines that it is not practicable to complete the review within the statutory time limit of 365 days. Because of the complexity of an issue in this case, it is not practicable to complete this review within the statutory time limit of 365 days. The Department,

therefore, is extending the time limit for the final results of the aforementioned review to April 5, 1999. See memorandum from Holly A. Kuga to Robert S. LaRussa, which is on file in Room B–099 at the Department's headquarters.

This extension of time limit is in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act and section 351.213(h)(2) of the Department's regulations.

Dated: February 4, 1999.

Holly A. Kuga,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, AD/CVD Enforcement Group II.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-412-803]

Industrial Nitrocellulose From the United Kingdom; Notice of Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of final results of antidumping duty administrative review.

SUMMARY: On August 7, 1998, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published the preliminary results of its administrative review of the antidumping duty order on industrial nitrocellulose (INC) from the United Kingdom. This review covers one manufacturer/exporter of the subject merchandise to the United States during the period July 1, 1996, through June 30, 1997.

We gave interested parties an opportunity to comment on our preliminary results. Based on our analysis of the comments received, we have changed the final results from those presented in the preliminary results. The final results are listed below in the section *Final Results of the Review*.

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 10, 1999. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Todd Peterson or Thomas Futtner, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482–4195 or 482–3814, respectively.

Applicable Statute and Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute are references to

the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Tariff Act of 1930 (the Act) by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (URAA). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department's regulations are to 19 CFR Part 351 (April 1998).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On August 7, 1998, the Department published in the Federal Register (63 FR 42366) the preliminary results of the administrative review of the antidumping order on industrial nitrocellulose (INC) from the United Kingdom, 55 FR 28270 (July 10, 1990). We gave interested parties an opportunity to comment on the Preliminary Results. On September 8, 1998, we received a case brief from Imperial Chemical Industries PLC (ICI) (respondent). On September 9, 1998, we received a case brief from Hercules Incorporated (petitioner). On September 14, 1998, we received rebuttal case briefs from both respondent and petitioner. A hearing was held September 16, 1998. Based on our analysis of the comments received, we changed the final results from those presented in the preliminary results as described below in "Changes from the Preliminary Results" and "Interested Party Comments" sections of this notice. The Department has now completed this administrative review in accordance with section 751(a) of the Act.

Scope of Review

Imports covered by this review are shipments of INC from the United Kingdom. INC is a dry, white amorphous synthetic chemical with a nitrogen content between 10.8 and 12.2 percent, and is produced from the reaction of cellulose with nitric acid. INC is used as a film-former in coatings, lacquers, furniture finishes, and printing inks. The scope of this order does not include explosive grade nitrocellulose, which has a nitrogen content of greater than 12.2 percent.

INC is currently classified under Harmonized Tariff System (HTS) subheading 3912.20.00. While the HTS item number is provided for convenience and Customs purposes, the written description remains dispositive as to the scope of the product coverage.

Changes From the Preliminary Results

The Department corrected an error by removing from the calculation of NV sales to one affiliated customer that were not at arm's length. See Comment 5.